IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE DIVISION

CRIMINAL NO. 1:07CR56

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
VS.	ORDER
REGINALD DEWAYNE JEFFRIES)))

THIS MATTER is before the Court on motion of Defendant's counsel to withdraw.

After review of counsel's motion, the Court finds the Defendant is attempting to avoid trial. The trial will proceed either with Ms. Allison as Defendant's counsel or as counsel in a stand-by capacity. The Court will address this matter with the Defendant on Tuesday, September 4, 2007, at 9:00 am., and Defendant should be ready to advise the Court of his decision in this regard at that time.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the motion of Defendant's counsel to withdraw is hereby **DENIED**.

Signed: September 4, 2007

Lacy H. Thornburg United States District Judge